Mr. K. M. Ibrahim *(Cranganur).*—Will the Hon'ble Member inform the House why in the main answers that he gave on the subject to these questions those items which he informed the House were already being taken action on were not mentioned?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Joint Secretary to Government).* When the answer was prepared and given with reference to the action taken on some of these proposals, as they were not in themselves very important considering the main proposals that are now engaging the attention of Government, it was not thought advisable to give the answers in the main answer itself. That is the only reason. Government thought it would be better to give the details when supplementary questions were put.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim *(Cranganur).*—Will the Government show a little more expedition to the solution of this vital problem?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar *(Joint Secretary to Government).*—As much expedition as is possible is given to these proposals.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ *(Ezhuvas North).*— ഈ സാമ്പത്തിക സമ്പ്രക്ക് എന്തു ചിലവായിട്ടുണ്ടാകുമെന്നു് അപ്രൊക്സിമേറ്റായിട്ട് ഒരു കണക്കു പറയാമോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി. കണ്ണൻനായർ *(Joint Secretary to Government).*— നോട്ടീസ് വേണം.

Panchayat Office—Narakkal—housing of.

141. Mr. George Parakkal *(Narakkal).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether there is a Government building for the Panchayat Office of Narakkal and Nayarambalam;

(b) whether the Panchayat Office of Narakkal and Nayarambalam is not conducted in a rented building;

(c) whether the building rented for the Panchayat Office of Narakkal and Nayarambalam is not sufficient for that purpose;

(d) whether the Government will seriously consider the necessity of housing the Panchayat Office of Narakkal and Nayarambalam in a proper building?

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Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—(a) No.

(b) Yes.

(c) The building is hardly sufficient for the purpose.

(d) Yes. The matter is under consideration.

Public tanks in Manalur Village.

142. Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Anthikad).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of public poramboke tanks in the Manalur Village;

(b) the amount spent by the Public Health and Panchayat Department for the maintenance of these tanks during the last five years ?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—(a) One.

(b) Nil.

Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Anthikad).*—May I know the name of the tank?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—I do not know the name.

Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Anthikad).*—Is it still a tank or is it raised to a paramba?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—It still remains a tank.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri).*—Is it in good repair?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—No.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri).*—Will there be water during the summer season.

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—During some of the months of the year there will be no water.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri).*—Will the Government be pleased to consider the case of this tank?

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